Evaluation Updates

"Are we there yet?"

Objectives

- CATALYST updates & refresher
- Big Picture evaluation updates & refresher
- Next Steps for evaluation activities & how they impact you

CATALYST Updates

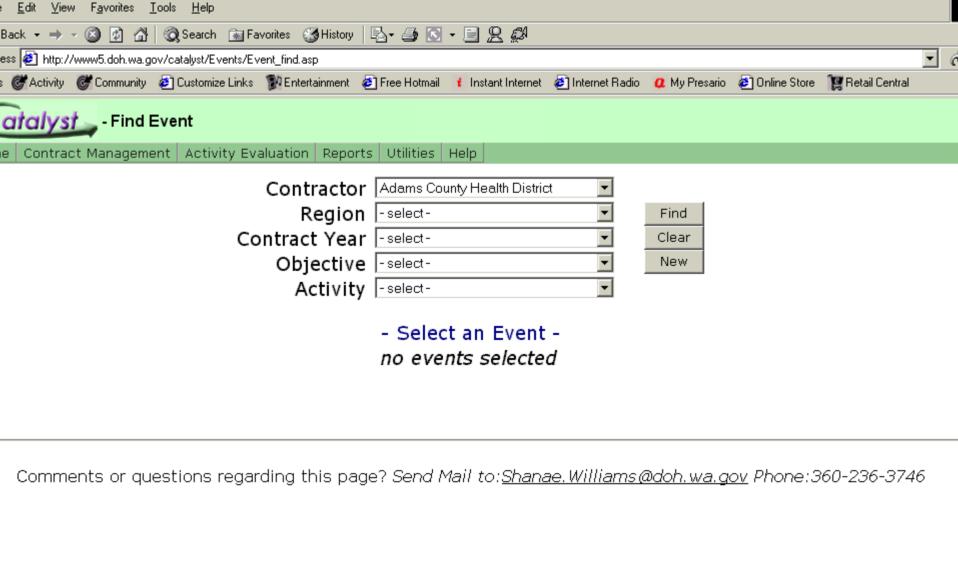
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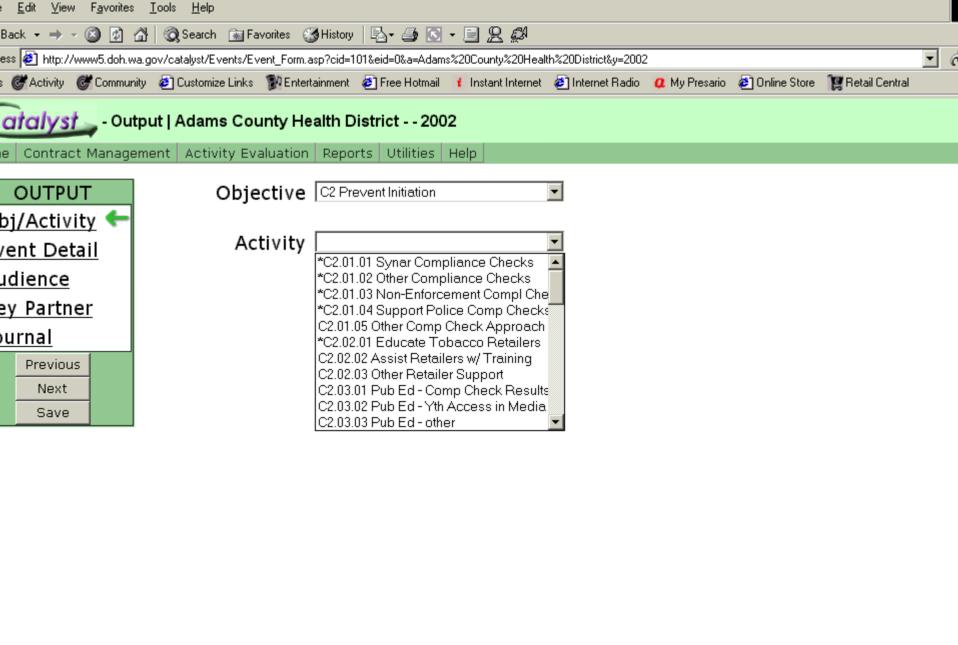
Workplan Entry

- Currently conducting a satisfaction survey to find out problems people had, how long it took, and identify additional questions
- "Target Audience" questions
- Able to do some queries using reports

Outputs Reporting

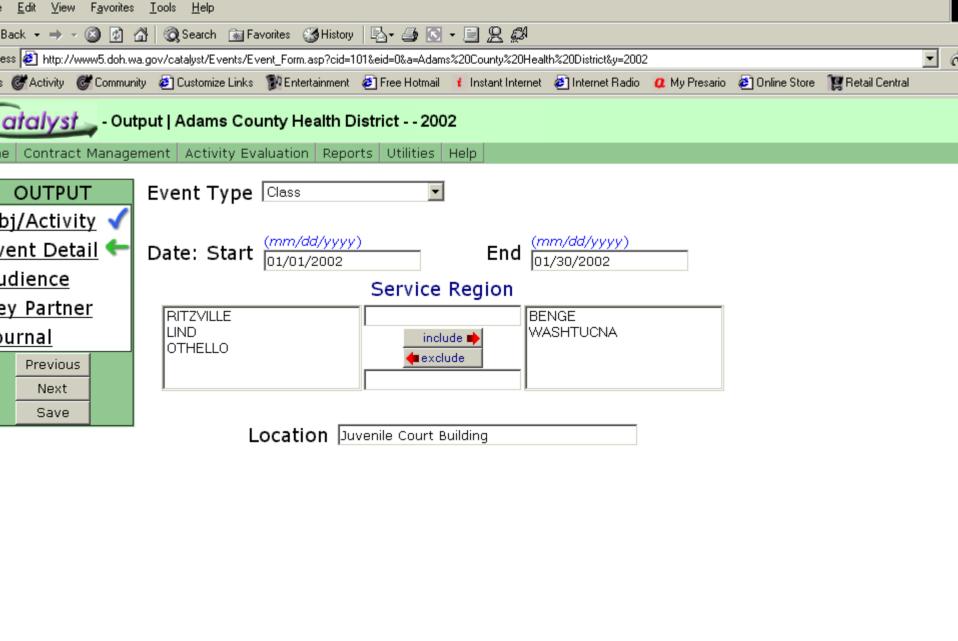
- Report at least monthly
- Contract managers will check outputs when they receive invoices
- Output information will be used in evaluation (where communities achieve the greatest outcomes, what did they do?)
- Output information used as a communications resource (queries to DOH by national constituents, legislators)



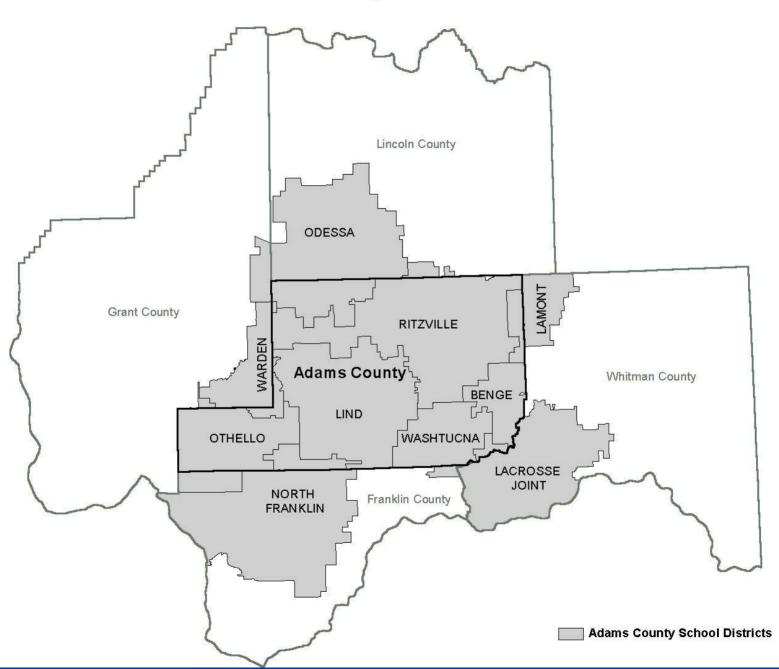


Outputs: Event Details

- Dates you can summarize over a period of time (for example, if you do 15 compliance checks this month you might choose to report that one time for the period)
- Location the place where it happened
- Regions served this should help to identify patterns of service in your geographic contract area

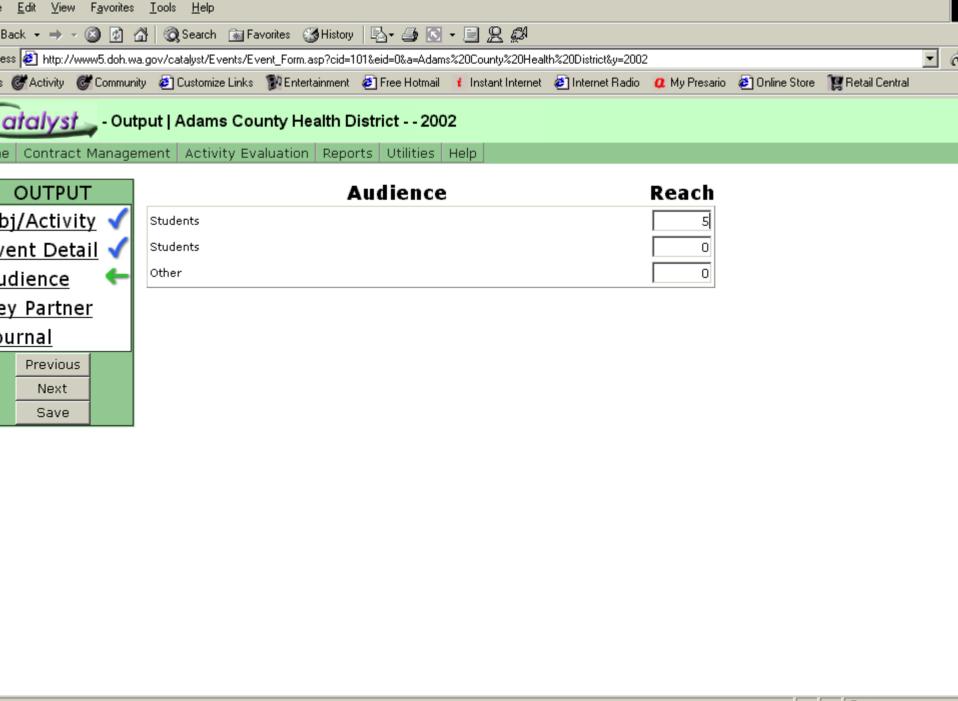


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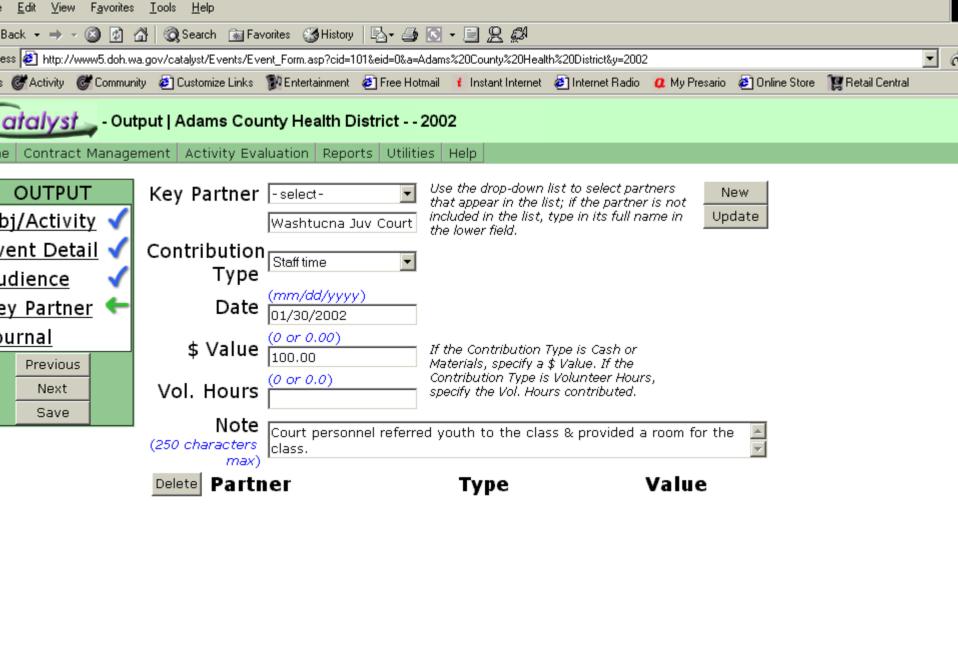
Outputs: Target Audience

- Report numbers actually served, or numbers meaningfully contacted
- Use "other" to report extra people who may have been meaningfully impacted
- DANGER! Overreporting could be hazardous to your public health!



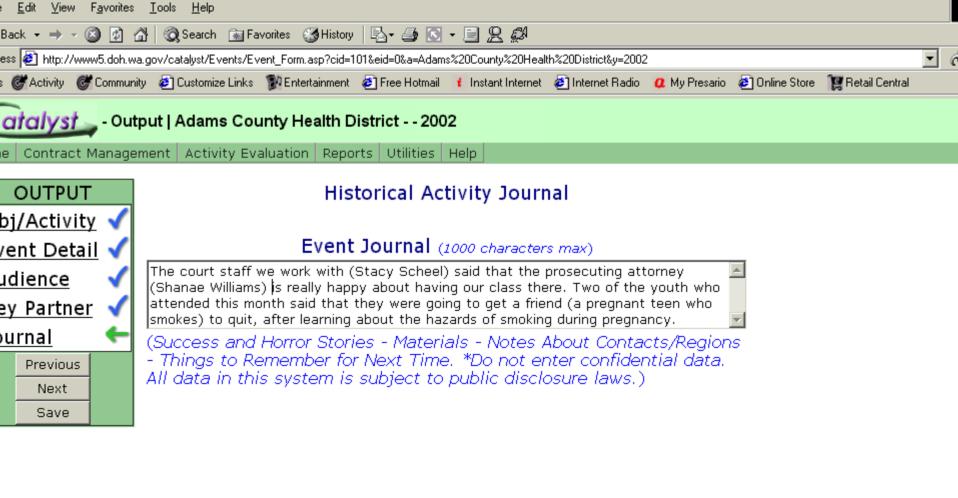
Outputs: Key Partners

- Who helped you do something?
- What did they do?
- Do you want to track this information to report to your stakeholders? To award individuals? To promote volunteer opportunities for youth?



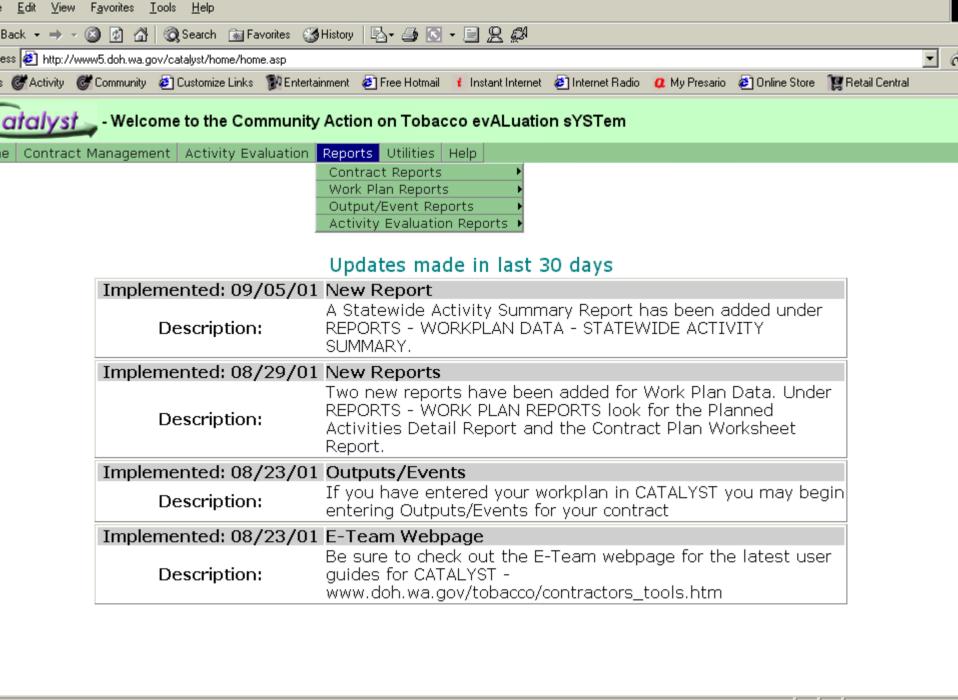
Outputs: Activity Journal

- What happened?
- Stories about your experience...
- Used by DOH as a communications resource – for example, Year 1 Report



CATALYST Reports

- Several NEW reports have been added
- Examples of reports are in the binder at your site
- Some reports are being refined or you will see them soon
 - Output Detail Report
 - User Frequency Report
 - All Evaluation Reports



Contract Reports

- Contract Summary
- Funding Overview
- Contact by Contractor
- Contact by County
- Login Tracking (Coming Soon!)

Workplan Reports Available

- Planned Activities (Search)
- Planned Activities Detail
- Contract Plan Worksheet
- Statewide Activity Summary

Output Reports Available

- Actual Activities (Search)
- Actual Activities Detail (Coming Soon!)
- Planned vs. Actual
- Actual Activities by Sub-Region
- Partnership

Coming Soon – Run all Output reports by Date (X date – Y date)

COMING SOON! Evaluation Tools

- Expect to see them October 1 in general system
- Drafts from website have been modified (generally shortened)
- Will try to do training as a slideshow, or other "Virtual Experience"

Targeted Evaluation Tools

- Tracking Tools
 - Industry Promotions (DOH will provide some info)
 - Tobacco retailer Compliance Checks
 - Tobacco retailer Operation Storefront
 - Restaurants Smokefree Status
 - Requests for Information

(more) Evaluation Tools

TATU

- Teen teachers (pre & post-tests)
- Classroom coordinator evaluation
- Presentation evaluation
- Youth Diversion/Intervention (pre/post)
- Youth Cessation Classes
- Adult Cessation Classes
- General Presentation Evaluations

Additional Evaluation Tools NOT in CATALYST

- Media Literacy Evaluation Tool (provided by WSU)
- Youth Coalition Participant Tool (provided by ALF)

Activity Evaluation Reports

- Pre-test results
- Pre- and post-test results
- Stand-alone survey results
- Tracking reports

Shanae is there to assist you...



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"The Evaluation -- Big Picture"

"Where were we going again?"

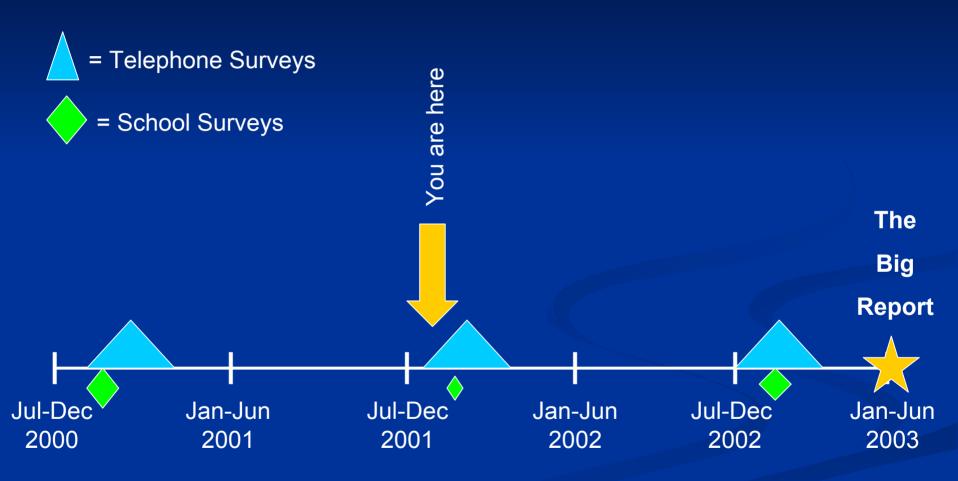
Surveillance Activities

County-based adult telephone survey

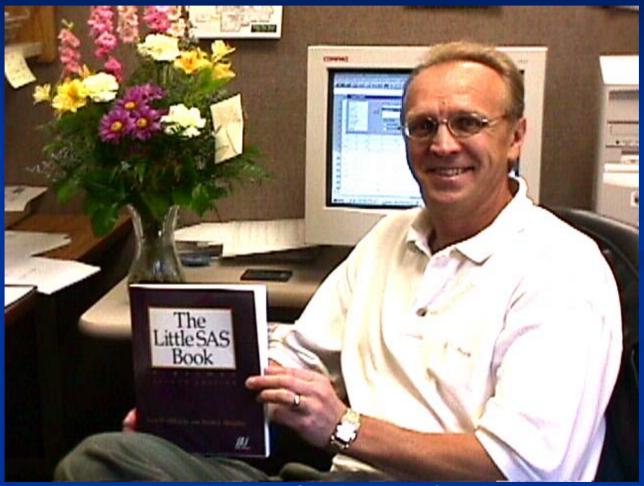
Regional youth telephone survey

School-based youth survey

Survey Types - Timing



Craig is analyzing your data ...



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Year 1 Summary for Legislature

STATEWIDE INFORMATION

- Summarize Program Successes in Year 1
- Component-specific Outputs
- Early Outcomes (where appropriate)

Year 1 Summary for Legislature

LOCAL INFORMATION (County-based)

- Highlights from CATALYST Activity Journals
- Updates of "Profiles" data and other Baseline data
- Local contact information

Evaluation Plan

- Communicate Evaluation Strategies for Contractors, Stakeholder, Critics
- For overall program & each component:
 - Logic model of inputs → activities → outputs → outcomes (short, mid, long-term)
 - Timeline
 - Data sources (including limitations)
 - Research questions to answer
- To be reviewed by External Evaluation Advisory
 & E-Team

Next Steps

"So where are we?"

Overall Next Steps...

- Complete CATALYST updates, Phase II evaluation tools, Phase III enhancements
- Give back Baseline data from Adult
 Telephone surveys and Youth Surveys
- Complete Year 1 Report (Statewide & Local Components)

Immediate Next Steps for Staff...

- Complete analysis of youth baseline data & give back
- Complete analysis of adult baseline data & give back
- Continue to get input & provide t/a on CATALYST
- Complete evaluation plan get review by expert advisory committee
- Complete Year 1 Program report (Statewide and Local information)

Immediate Next Steps for Contractors...

- Continue entering outputs into CATALYST
- Pay attention to "Activity Journal" entries in CATALYST for Year 1 Report
- Begin entering evaluation data into CATALYST (beginning October 1)

Calling on the E-Team

- Review the Community & School-specific Evaluation Plans
- Feedback on Year 1 summary
- Start Refining Workplan Structure & Making Preliminary Recommendations for Year 2

Thank You!

Contractors
DOH Program Staff
Expert Advisors
DOH Tobacco Evaluation Staff